

**SUMMARY OF THE STATE OF KANSAS ADJUSTMENT
TO CENSUS FIGURES FOR REAPPORTIONMENT**

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2011 RESULT OF THE STATE OF KANSAS ADJUSTMENT TO CENSUS FIGURES FOR REAPPORTIONMENT

The U.S. Census reported Kansas' population as 2,853,118 persons. The secretary of state received 118,690 responses to student surveys indicating whether they were residents or nonresidents. After adjusting responses, the secretary of state excluded 13,673 persons from the census population. The Kansas population base for reapportionment is 2,839,445. A summary of procedures follows these results.

Student Adjustment

The secretary of state's report dated July 26, 2011 showed that a total of 12,783 students were excluded from the reapportionment count from colleges, universities, technical and vocational schools. Students are required by law to respond to the state census adjustment survey.

Military Adjustment

The secretary of state's report dated July 26, 2011 showed that a total of 980 military personnel were subtracted from the Census population.

The 2010 U.S. Census reported 25,482 total active military personnel in Kansas in 2009. Military commands in the state cooperated with the Secretary of State in providing a link for online self-reporting, but participation was voluntary. Dependents are not mentioned in Kansas laws on population adjustment.

SUMMARY OF PROCEDURES FOR THE STATE OF KANSAS ADJUSTMENT TO CENSUS FIGURES FOR REAPPORTIONMENT

Constitutional and Statutory Authority

The Kansas Constitution, Article 10, Section 1, provides that legislative districts be apportioned upon the basis of population with two adjustments. The first type of adjustment excludes nonresident military and students altogether from the reapportionment population. The second adjustment “moves” a resident military member or student from his or her residence to a “home” precinct within the state. Both adjustments require a person’s response to a state adjustment process. (Attachment A)

The Kansas Constitution also requires the attorney general to petition the Kansas supreme court within 15 days after publication of the statute reapportioning districts to determine the validity of the act. The process may be repeated until the statute is adjudged by the supreme court to conform legal requirements, which judgment is final until the next reapportionment.

Kansas is one of 35 states whose legislature conducts reapportionment and redistricting of its congressional and legislative districts. The Kansas Statutes Annotated (KSA) direct the secretary of state to implement the state’s constitutional required adjustments to its census population for reapportionment, with a report to the legislature by July 31 in the year following each federal decennial census. However, the federal census is used for apportionment of U.S. House seats. (Attachment B)

KSA § 11-302 sets forth definitions for the purpose of determining the residency or nonresidency of military personnel stationed in the state and students attending

colleges and universities within the state. "Nonresident" means a person who has a domicile or permanent residence outside the state of Kansas. "Resident" means a person who declares that he or she is a resident of the state of Kansas and has a present intent to remain in the state. "Permanent residence" means a fixed place of abode or fixed domicile which a person intends to be the person's residence and to which the person presently intends to return. Other definitions cover students, military personnel, college and university.

Under the census adjustment statute, all data obtained by the secretary of state, college/university officials or the military are confidential and not subject to the open records act. Such data shall be used exclusively for the adjustments required under the constitution and statutes, and additional regulations are set forth in Article 35 of the Kansas Administrative Regulations. (Attachment C)

Adjustment Procedures by the Secretary of State

The population of Kansas according to the 2010 U.S. Census was 2,853,118, or 238,600 census blocks. Adjusted census figures reported by Kansas Secretary of State Kris W. Kobach were 13,673 fewer, or 2,839,445 residents. (Attachment D)

In 2010-2011, the secretary of state's office was able to develop on-line forms for census adjustment that were offered to colleges, universities and military commands in the state. Kansas statutes confer the duty to distribute and collect census solely upon educational institutions and military installations. Other than an interagency agreement to reimburse the secretary of state for a recalculation by its vendor, the 2010 adjustment project received no appropriation from the legislature. It relied instead on existing

agency funds and equipment, temporary workers and college interns to cover a cost just under \$200,000 to implement the adjustment.

In June 2009, institutions received electronic copies of the appropriate questionnaire (student or military) and paper copies followed in November, and collection sites and procedures were established. The secretary of state's office, led by a steering committee, created systems to handle categories of responses:

1. "Non-adjusters" - responses indicated persons considered their current residence at the college or military installation to be their permanent residence. No further action was necessary for these 70,000+ persons.
2. "Adjusters" – those who indicated they did not consider their current address to be permanent, then classified as "subtract/add" (subtract from current address, add back to another address in Kansas), "subtract only" (current address in Kansas, but permanent address outside the state), or "add only" (current address outside Kansas but permanent residence in Kansas – example given was for student living over the state line but resident of and attending college in Kansas).
3. Problems such as incomplete, missing or conflicting information, use of P.O. Box or Rural Route (R.R.) instead of street address, etc. The secretary of state reported more than 21,000 questionnaires were sorted as problem responses requiring further work to resolve errors.

To resolve errors, the staff, college interns and temporary workers conducted followup phone calls, emails, inspection of college administrative lists, etc., and a second round of phone calls during later hours.

The secretary of state's office utilized Caliper Corporations' Maptitude software to plot addresses for matching. More than 8,000 addresses were unmatched after the first round of geocoding and required corrections. After subtractions made by the state adjustment, 20 census blocks resulted in negative population blocks.

The secretary of state reported the office was able to resolve more than 80 percent of the problem responses for the adjustment. While the Kansas adjustment process also calls for race and ethnicity on the adjustment form, this summary does not address problems involving incomplete responses for those categories.

Issues Raised in 2011 Report

The secretary of state is required to provide a form to military installations and every military officer in charge of more than 50 persons in the service is required to obtain state census information from persons under the officer's command. However, the secretary of state's July 2011 report describes that its efforts to obtain full participation by the military were limited by the extent to which the military could provide its support. In 2010-2011, participation by the military dropped significantly below the 2000 rate of response, even after a second round of emails requesting participation by service members.

Military commands either declined or did not respond to further efforts by the secretary of state to increase responses. As one example, personnel stationed at Ft. Riley provided 551 responses in 2010, compared to 7,955 in 2000. Responding to the secretary of state's request for a meeting to generate more participation, the commanding officer at Ft. Riley replied by letter that their "personnel have gone as far as they are able to go to assist the State with this endeavor" and reiterated the opinion

that the service was not subject to state law pertaining to census adjustment. The steering committee decided not to pursue further action with the military. (Attachment E)

KSA requires public or private universities and colleges to obtain from all enrolled students census information on forms provided by the secretary of state. At least one state university (Kansas State University) places a hold on a student's record if the student does not complete the state form. This prevents students from registering for the next term; however, it was not stated whether or how the provision is enforced in institutions outside the state system. (Attachment F)

Where no source is cited, refer to Adjustment to the 2010 U.S. Decennial Census, published by Kris W. Kobach, Kansas Secretary of State, July 26, 2011, available online at <http://www.sos.ks.gov/forms/elections/2010CensusAdj.pdf>. (Attachment G, Cover & table of contents)

Copies of forms used for surveys of students and military personnel are also provided. (Attachment H)

Kansas Constitution, Article 10

Article 10. -- APPORTIONMENT OF THE LEGISLATURE

§ 1: Reapportionment of senatorial and representative districts. (a) At its regular session in 1989, the legislature shall by law reapportion the state representative districts, the state senatorial districts or both the state representative and senatorial districts upon the basis of the latest census of the inhabitants of the state taken by authority of chapter 61 of the 1987 Session Laws of Kansas. At its regular session in 1992, and at its regular session every tenth year thereafter, the legislature shall by law reapportion the state senatorial districts and representative districts on the basis of the population of the state as established by the most recent census of population taken and published by the United States bureau of the census. Senatorial and representative districts shall be reapportioned upon the basis of the population of the state adjusted: (1) To exclude nonresident military personnel stationed within the state and nonresident students attending colleges and universities within the state; and (2) to include military personnel stationed within the state who are residents of the state and students attending colleges and universities within the state who are residents of the state in the district of their permanent residence. Bills reapportioning legislative districts shall be published in the Kansas register immediately upon final passage and shall be effective for the next following election of legislators and thereafter until again reapportioned.

(b) Within 15 days after the publication of an act reapportioning the legislative districts within the time specified in (a), the attorney general shall petition the supreme court of the state to determine the validity thereof. The supreme court, within 30 days from the filing of the petition, shall enter its judgment. Should the supreme court determine that the reapportionment statute is invalid, the legislature shall enact a statute of reapportionment conforming to the judgment of the supreme court within 15 days.

(c) Upon enactment of a reapportionment to conform with a judgment under (b), the attorney general shall apply to the supreme court of the state to determine the validity thereof. The supreme court, within 10 days from the filing of such application, shall enter its judgment. Should the supreme court determine that the reapportionment statute is invalid, the legislature shall again enact a statute reapportioning the legislative districts in compliance with the direction of and conforming to the mandate of the supreme court within 15 days after entry thereof.

(d) Whenever a petition or application is filed under this section, the supreme court, in accordance with its rules, shall permit interested persons to present their views.

(e) A judgment of the supreme court of the state determining a reapportionment to be valid shall be final until the legislative districts are again reapportioned in accordance herewith.

Kansas Statutes Annotated

Article 3.—CENSUS DATA FOR LEGISLATIVE AND CONGRESSIONAL REDISTRICTING

LEGISLATIVE REDISTRICTING

Cross References to Related Sections:

Reapportionment of districts, Kan. Const., art. 10 § 1.

Attorney General's Opinions:

Census data for reapportionment of senatorial and representative districts. 89-119

11-301. Census data for reapportionment of senatorial and representative districts; adjustment of federal census. In accordance with this act, the Secretary of State shall obtain data to make adjustments to each federal decennial census such that there is compliance with subsection (a) of section 1 of article 10 of the constitution of Kansas. The secretary shall make or cause to be made all such adjustments.

History: L. 1989, ch. 257, § 1; May 18.

Attorney General's Opinions:

Technical college granting associate degree is "college" under K.S.A. 11-302; residence of students must be collected for census purposes. 1999-60.

11-302. Same; definitions. For the purpose of determining the residence or nonresidence of military personnel stationed within the state and students attending colleges and universities within the state:

- (a) "Nonresident" means a person who has a domicile or permanent residence outside of the state of Kansas.
- (b) "Resident" means a person who declares that he or she is a resident of the state of Kansas and has a present intent to remain in the state.
- (c) "Permanent residence" means a fixed place of abode or fixed domicile which a person intends to be such person's residence and to which such person presently intends to return.
- (d) "Student" means a person enrolled in classes of a university or college for a minimum of nine credit hours, or a person seeking an academic degree.
- (e) "Military personnel" means members of the armed forces of the United States stationed and located in Kansas.
- (f) "College" means a public or private postsecondary educational institution, including community colleges, which offers two year or four year educational programs.

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- (g) "University" means a public or private institution offering at least a baccalaureate degree.

History: L. 1989, ch. 257, § 2; May 18.

Attorney General's Opinions:

Technical college granting associate degree is "college" under K.S.A. 11-302; residence of students must be collected for census purposes. 1999-60.

11-303. Same; information to be obtained by colleges and universities and certain military officers; reporting to secretary. (a) Every public or private university and college shall obtain from all enrolled students census information upon forms provided by the Secretary of State. Such information shall be obtained as of the federal census date as specified by the secretary and shall be used to carry out K.S.A. 11-301, and shall be supplied to the secretary at a time specified by the secretary. (b) Every military officer in charge of more than 50 persons in the military service shall obtain from all persons in the military service and under the command of such officer census information upon forms provided by the Secretary of State. Such information shall be obtained as of the federal census date as specified by the secretary and shall be used to carry out K.S.A. 11-301. Such information shall be supplied to the secretary at a time specified by the secretary.

History: L. 1989, ch. 257, § 3; May 18.

Attorney General's Opinions:

Census data; reapportionment of senatorial and representative districts; definitions. 89-141. Technical college granting associate degree is "college" under K.S.A. 11-302; residence of students must be collected for census purposes. 1999-60.

11-304. Data used for legislative redistricting; adjustment. (a) The Secretary of State shall obtain decennial census information obtained by the United States bureau of the census for each county, city, precinct and part of a precinct that is given an identifying code. The Secretary of State shall adjust each piece of such information, and adjust each and all of the same in an organized manner to carry out the provisions of K.S.A. 11-301, and amendments thereto. When such information is so organized, the Secretary of State shall present the adjusted federal census information to the legislature, but not later than July 31 in the year following each federal decennial census. (b) The census information obtained by the Secretary of State for the purposes of subsection (a) shall be identical to the data from the actual enumeration conducted by the United States bureau of the census and used for the apportionment of representatives of the United States house of representatives. The Secretary of State shall not use bureau of the census counts

derived by any other means, including the use of statistical sampling, to add or subtract population by inference.

History: L. 1989, ch. 257, § 4; L. 1999, ch. 148, § 1; July 1.

11-305. Same; rules and regulations. The Secretary of State shall adopt rules and regulations necessary for the determination of the residence or nonresidence of military personnel stationed within the state and students attending colleges and universities within the state of Kansas and determining the permanent residence of students and military personnel who are residents of the state of Kansas together with such other information required to carry out the provisions of this act. Such rules and regulations shall be adopted in accordance with the provisions of article 4 of chapter 77 of the Kansas Statutes Annotated, and amendments thereto.

History: L. 1989, ch. 257, § 5; May 18.

11-306. Same; personal data and information, use; confidential and not subject to open records act. All forms and other personally identifiable data and information obtained by the Secretary of State, or by officials of a university or college or a military officer to carry out this act or any part thereof shall be confidential and shall not be subject to the open records act, and shall be used solely and exclusively to make the adjustments required under K.S.A. 11-301 and 11-304 as contemplated by the constitution of Kansas.

History: L. 1989, ch. 257, § 6; May 18.

11-307. Same; unlawful acts; informing public. Any person or public or private entity who shall impair, impede, obstruct or otherwise interfere with the Secretary of State or any student, college, university, or with any member of the military services or any military installation in carrying out the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a class A misdemeanor. Nothing in this section shall be construed to limit or prohibit any person or any public or private entity from engaging in any activity intended to inform the public or any portion of the public of means whereby persons may assure or attempt to assure their qualification to be determined a resident or to have a permanent residence at any particular place.

History: L. 1989, ch. 257, § 7; May 18.

Kansas Administrative Regulations

Article 35.—CENSUS ADJUSTMENT

7-35-1. Adjustment of federal census data. Before July 31 of the year following the federal decennial census, responses from student and military questionnaires shall be used by the secretary of state to compute the number of persons to be added to or subtracted from each election precinct's population totals from the decennial census conducted by the U.S. bureau of the census. (Authorized by K.S.A. 11-305; implementing Article 10, Section 1 of the Kansas Constitution and K.S.A. 11-303; effective Dec. 11, 1989; amended, T-7-9-13-99, Sept. 13, 1999; amended Jan. 7, 2000.)

7-35-2. Questionnaires. Questionnaires for all students enrolled at a college or university in the state of Kansas and for military personnel stationed and located in the state of Kansas during the decennial census year shall be provided by the secretary of state. Completed questionnaires shall be returned by college and university officials and military officers to the secretary of state before June 1 of the decennial census year.

- (a) The questionnaires shall require each college or university student and each military person to provide all information deemed necessary by the secretary of state to determine the person's residency for the purpose of conducting the census adjustment. The questionnaires shall also provide for racial and ethnic information similar to that provided on the federal census questionnaire.
- (b) If the military person has already completed a decennial census adjustment questionnaire as a student at a Kansas college or university, the person shall state the name of that college or university.
- (c) Each college or university in Kansas shall provide to the secretary of state a list of names and addresses of all students enrolled during the spring semester of the decennial census year. Every military officer in charge of more than 50 persons in the military service shall provide to the secretary of state a list of names and addresses of all military personnel under that officer's command on April 1 of the decennial census year. The lists shall not be used to determine the permanent residence of any individual.
- (d) Questionnaires shall be distributed to all college and university students enrolled for the spring semester of the decennial census year by officials at each institution who shall be designated by their respective administrators. Questionnaires shall be distributed to all military personnel by officers who shall be designated by their respective administrators. The questionnaires shall be

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completed on or after April 1 whenever possible, to coincide with the official census date of the U.S. bureau of the census, or at another time that is administratively expedient but not later than May 1. In cases in which individual military personnel are unavailable to fill out their questionnaires on April 1 because their military duties require them to be temporarily absent from the installation to which they are assigned, the military officer responsible for providing census adjustment data to the secretary of state may provide these persons with an opportunity to complete their questionnaires at some time after April 1 but not later than May 1.

(Authorized by K.S.A. 11-305; implementing Article 10, Section 1 of the Kansas Constitution and K.S.A. 11-303; effective Dec. 11, 1989; amended, T-7-9-13-99, Sept. 13, 1999; amended Jan. 7, 2000.)

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Secretary of State Kobach Releases Adjusted Census Figures

TOPEKA (July 26, 2011) –Today Secretary of State Kris Kobach released to Kansas legislators a report that provides population data for its 2012 redistricting efforts. Lines that will be redrawn based on the adjusted state population include the House of Representatives, Senate, and Board of Education district boundaries. The report details the policies, procedures and outcomes of the 2010 census adjustment project that began in June 2009.

"This report describes a two-year project that has been through two administration changes in the Office of the Secretary of State and two project managers," said Kobach. "Despite this, I am pleased to say that the census adjustment project has been completed on time and under budget estimates, thanks to the hard work of the staff of the Office of the Secretary of State."

Article 10 of the Kansas Constitution requires the legislature to reapportion the state representative districts and the state senatorial districts on the basis of the latest census of the inhabitants of the state taken and published by the United States Census Bureau as adjusted in the following manner:

- (1) to exclude nonresident military personnel stationed within the state and nonresident students attending colleges and universities within the state; and
- (2) to include military personnel stationed within the state who are residents of the state and students attending colleges and universities within the state who are residents of the state in the district of their permanent residence.

The April 1, 2010 population data from the U.S. Census Bureau was adjusted based on these requirements. A total of 118,690 military personnel and students responded to declare their preferred residence. The original 2010 census count was 2,853,118 residents of Kansas. The final adjusted state population is 13,673 fewer, or 2,839,445 Kansas residents.

For the complete 119-page report called *Adjustment to the 2010 U.S. Decennial Census*, visit http://www.sos.ks.gov/resources/kansas_census.html.

August 19, 2010

Brigadier General David C. Petersen
Deputy Commanding General
Fort Riley
Riley, KS 66442

Dear Brigadier General Petersen:

I am writing today to request your help in performing a duty assigned to my office by the constitution of the State of Kansas. That duty is the Kansas Census Adjustment, which crosses path with the military installations within the state. State law requires that college students and military personnel elect where they should be counted by filling out a questionnaire and returning it to my office. It is important to remember that this project is entirely separate from the census taken by the U.S. Bureau of the Census. The results of our survey are used to recalculate the U.S. Census population figures for Kansas.

Several months ago, you met with representatives of my office under former Secretary of State Ron Thornburgh. At that meeting you agreed to provide a point of contact to work with and my office has worked with that person to send information on how to access our online questionnaire to those under your command. I thank you greatly for that cooperation. Unfortunately the response has been disappointing.

As of today only 551 responses have come in from Fort Riley, a number well below the 7,955 that responded in 2000. While I understand that this census adjustment is far from your highest priority with the conflicts at hand, I would appreciate an opportunity to meet with you and discuss options for bringing the number of responses closer to the historic numbers.

If you have any questions or would be available to meet with me, please contact my project coordinator, Mr. Josh King. He can be reached by e-mail at joshk@kssos.org or by phone at 785-296-0080.

Again, I thank you for your assistance in carrying out this duty and thank you for your continued service.

Sincerely,

CHRIS BIGGS
Kansas Secretary of State

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Letter from Fort Riley



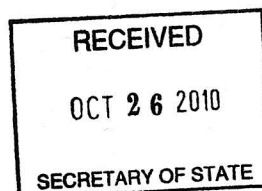
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REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF:

October 14, 2010

Office of the Commanding General

Hon. Chris Biggs
Kansas Secretary of State
Memorial Hall, 1st Floor
120 S.W. 10th Avenue
Topeka, KS 66612-1594



Dear Mr. Biggs:

Thank you for your correspondence regarding the Kansas Census Adjustment project. The U.S. Army has always worked in partnership with the State of Kansas on a wide variety of matters, and Fort Riley is happy to continue this relationship. As a result of limitations in federal law, however, Fort Riley personnel are limited in what they are able to do to assist the State with the census project.

I understand that your office is required by Kansas law to carry out the census project. As promised, the information regarding access to the online census questionnaire has been disseminated throughout this command. It is unfortunate that Army personnel have not provided more responses.

In responding to the request for assistance regarding the census project, however, Fort Riley is constrained by federal law. Federal law significantly limits what assistance the Army can provide pertaining to the project. Fort Riley personnel have gone as far as they are able to go to assist the State with this endeavor.

I have consulted with my legal advisors, and unfortunately, we cannot find any additional lawful steps that can be taken at Fort Riley. In short, we have done all that we are legally permitted to do.

If you have any further questions, you or your office may direct them to my Staff Judge Advocate, Lieutenant Colonel Robert Borcharding at (785)239-2217.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "David C. Petersen".

David C. Petersen
Brigadier General, U.S. Army
Commanding

Source: Carla Jones, 785-532-7305, cjones@k-state.edu

Web site: <http://www.k-state.edu/census/>

Monday, March 15, 2010

K-STATE STUDENTS ENCOURAGED TO COMPLETE BOTH THE KANSAS CENSUS ADJUSTMENT QUESTIONNAIRE AND THE U.S. CENSUS

MANHATTAN -- The census coordinator at Kansas State University is urging K-State students to complete both the Kansas census adjustment questionnaire and the U.S. census form by their deadlines.

Carla Jones, K-State assistant vice president for student life who is coordinating census efforts for the university, said students can help their communities, the city of Manhattan, the state and K-State by completing both surveys.

"The 2010 U.S. census forms are different from the Kansas 2010 census adjustment questionnaire," Jones said. "We want students to be especially aware of this and not throw out the U.S. census by mistake."

The Kansas census adjustment questionnaire, also called the state census, can be completed online either through iSIS, which is K-State's online enrollment system, or at the Kansas secretary of state's Web site.

K-State places holds on students' iSIS accounts until they complete the state census. The university used a hold system in 2000 for the questionnaire and had a return rate of between 95 percent to 98 percent. The Kansas secretary of state's office is using K-State as the standard for 2010, and a conference call to all universities and colleges in Kansas included a conversation with Michael Crow, K-State's associate registrar, explaining how to achieve the highest return rate, Jones said.

Kansas law requires college students and military personnel to complete the state census because they represent two sizable groups that might not be counted at their permanent addresses. The Kansas census adjustment allows the secretary of state to let Kansas students and military members be counted in the communities of their permanent addresses.

The deadline for students to complete the state census is April 14. Jones said some K-State students still have holds on their records because they haven't completed the questionnaire. She anticipates, though, that all students will have completed the survey by March 22, the date enrollment begins for the summer and fall 2010 terms.

U.S. census forms are mailed to residences, apartments and group living places and need to be mailed back, Jones said. While the university can't place holds on student records to get students to participate in the U.S. census, Jones said the university is encouraging students to fill out the census form and send it back.

Leo Prieto, a K-State alum and census partnership specialist in Kansas City, said each national form is coded to track its return. Prieto said it is important for students to complete the national census because the data will help allocate \$435 billion in government funding for state and city infrastructure. That money affects student and federal loans, transportation systems, health centers and higher education. The national census also determines state, local and congressional districts.

"When students fill out their census they're going to bring back those tax dollars to their university," Prieto said.

National census forms must be completed and mailed back by April 1.

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Adjustment to the 2010 U.S. Decennial Census

Kris W. Kobach

Secretary of State

July 26, 2011



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STATE OF KANSAS

July 26, 2011

The Kansas Legislature
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Dear Legislators:

In June 2009, the Secretary of State's office began the work of adjusting the 2010 federal census in order to provide data for the 2012 redistricting efforts. Today, more than two years later, that effort comes to a close with the delivery of population figures adjusted by my office.

During the intervening time, this project has seen two Secretary of State administration changes and two project managers. Despite this, I am pleased to say that this project has been completed on time and under budget estimates, thanks to the hard work of this office.

In compliance with the Kansas Constitution and with procedures laid out in Kansas Statute, my office adjusted the April 1, 2010 population data from the U.S. Bureau of the Census, observing the following rules: 1) nonresident respondents from military installations and higher education campuses in Kansas were subtracted from the state's population total; and 2) resident military personnel and college and university students located in Kansas were recorded in the census blocks of their permanent residences. In each case, individuals were allowed to declare their preferred residence.

In accordance with K.S.A. 11-301, *et seq.*, I am presenting to you today a report detailing the policies, procedures and outcomes of the 2010 adjustment project. In addition to the printed report, I have submitted a CD to the Kansas Legislative Research Department that contains the electronic files for your redistricting work.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions you may have.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kris W. Kobach". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.


KRIS W. KOBACH
Secretary of State

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2010 Census Adjustment Questionnaire: Military (online only)

Step one: Information and definitions

 Official State Business	State of Kansas 2010 Census Adjustment Military Questionnaire	Questions? Contact the Kansas Secretary of State 1-800-262-8683 kscensus@kssos.org
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The Kansas Constitution requires that, for purposes of representation in the Kansas State Legislature, military personnel be counted at their permanent residences. This requires the 2010 federal census population figures to be adjusted based on your response. **All information will be kept strictly confidential.** Residency information provided on this form will not affect your mailing address, income tax rates, or voting location.

DEFINITIONS - (K.S.A. 11-301 et seq.)

MILITARY PERSONNEL means members of the armed forces of the United States stationed and located in Kansas.


PERMANENT RESIDENCE means a fixed place of abode or fixed domicile which a person intends to be such person's residence and to which such person presently intends to return.

RESIDENT means a person who declares that he or she is a resident of the state of Kansas and has a present intent to remain in the state.

NONRESIDENT means a person who has a domicile or permanent residence outside the state of Kansas.

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Step two: General information

 Official State Business	State of Kansas 2010 Census Adjustment Military Questionnaire	Questions? Contact the Kansas Secretary of State 1-800-262-8683 kscensus@kssos.org
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NOTE: Your answers should reflect your residence as of census day, **April 1, 2010**

► indicates required fields

1. ► First Name:
Middle Initial:
► Last Name:

2. ► Military Installation:

3. Last 4 of Military ID: (optional)

4. ► Have you already filled out a 2010 Census Adjustment questionnaire as a **STUDENT** at a Kansas college or university?
☐ Yes ☐ No


5. ► For purposes of representation in the Kansas Legislature, do you consider your current home address to be your **permanent residence**? (If Yes - **CLICK SUBMIT**)
☐ Yes ☐ No

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Step three: Current and permanent address information

	Official State Business	State of Kansas 2010 Census Adjustment Military Questionnaire	Questions? Contact the Kansas Secretary of State 1-800-262-8683 kscensus@kssos.org
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▶ indicates required fields

6. Current Home Address (No P.O. Box)

▶ Addr. No: <input type="text"/> [?]	Sub No: <input type="text"/> [?]	Prefix Direction: <input type="text"/> [?]
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▶ County: <input type="text"/>	▶ Telephone Number: <input type="text"/>	
E-mail: <input type="text"/>		

7. Permanent Residence Address (No P.O. Box)▶ State of Legal Domicile: KS


(Kansas selected please fill out the Permanent Address fields)

▶ Addr. No: <input type="text"/> [?]	Sub No: <input type="text"/> [?]	Prefix Direction: <input type="text"/> [?]
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E-mail: <input type="text"/>		

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Note: Respondents with an out-of-state address were permitted to select their state of legal domicile and skip manual entry of a permanent address outside the state of Kansas.

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► indicates required fields

8. ► Are you 18 years or older by April 1, 2010? ☐ Yes ☐ No

NOTE: Please answer BOTH Question 8 about Hispanic origin and Question 9 about race. For this census, adjustment, Hispanic origins are not races.


9. ► Are you of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin? Mark the "**No**" box if **not** of Hispanic, Latino or Spanish origin.

- ☐ No, not of Hispanic, Latino or Spanish origin
- ☐ Yes, Puerto Rican
- ☐ Yes, Mexican, Mexican Am., Chicano
- ☐ Yes, Cuban
- ☐ Yes, other Hispanic, Latino or Spanish origin

10. ► What is your race? Mark **one or more** races to indicate what you consider yourself to be.

- ☐ White
- ☐ Black, African American, or Negro
- ☐ American Indian or Alaska Native
- ☐ Asian Indian
- ☐ Chinese
- ☐ Filipino
- ☐ Japanese
- ☐ Korean
- ☐ Vietnamese
- ☐ Other Asian
- ☐ Native Hawaiian
- ☐ Guamanian or Chamorro
- ☐ Samoan
- ☐ Other Pacific Islander
- ☐ Some other race

2010 Census Adjustment Questionnaire: Student - paper version

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The Kansas Constitution requires that, for purposes of representation in the Kansas State Legislature, college students be counted at their permanent residences. This requires the 2010 federal census population figures to be adjusted based on your response. **State law requires that you provide this information. All information will be kept strictly confidential.** Residency information provided on this form will **NOT** affect your college mailing address, tuition, income tax rates, or voting location.

DEFINITIONS - (K.S.A. 11-301 *et seq.*)

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State of Kansas - Student Questionnaire 2010 Census Adjustment	
NOTE: Your answers should reflect your residence as of census day, April 1, 2010.	
1. Print your last name, first name and middle initial.	Student ID number
2. Name of College / University	City of College/University
3. Are you enrolled in nine or more credit hours OR currently seeking an academic degree? <div style="float: right; text-align: right;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If Yes - continue If No - STOP </div>	
4. For purposes of representation in the Kansas Legislature, do you consider your current college address to be your permanent residence ? See definitions above. <div style="float: right; text-align: right;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If Yes - STOP If No - continue to end. </div> <p>• If you answered No, provide both your college address and your permanent residence address in boxes 5 and 6.</p>	
5. Current College Address No P.O. Box Street or Rural Route Apt. or Box City State Zip Code () County Telephone Number e-mail Address	6. Permanent Residence Address No P.O. Box Street or Rural Route Apt. or Box City State Zip Code () County Telephone Number e-mail Address
7. Check this box if you will NOT be 18 years or older by April 1, 2010. <input type="checkbox"/>	
NOTE: Please answer BOTH Question 8 about Hispanic origin and Question 9 about race. For this census adjustment, Hispanic origins are not races.	
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9. What is your race? Mark one or more races to indicate what you consider yourself to be. <div style="display: flex; flex-wrap: wrap;"> <div style="width: 33%;"> <input type="checkbox"/> White </div> <div style="width: 33%;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Asian Indian </div> <div style="width: 33%;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Japanese </div> <div style="width: 33%;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian </div> <div style="width: 33%;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Guamanian or Chamorro </div> <div style="width: 33%;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Black, African American, or Negro </div> <div style="width: 33%;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Chinese </div> <div style="width: 33%;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Korean </div> <div style="width: 33%;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Other Pacific Islander — <i>Print race.</i> ↴ </div> <div style="width: 33%;"> <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian or Alaska Native </div> <div style="width: 33%;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Filipino </div> <div style="width: 33%;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Vietnamese </div> <div style="width: 33%;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Other Asian — <i>Print race.</i> ↴ </div> <div style="width: 33%;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Some other race — <i>Print race.</i> ↴ </div> </div> <p><i>Print name of enrolled or principal tribe.</i> ↴</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 150px; height: 1.2em;"></div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 150px; height: 1.2em;"></div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 150px; height: 1.2em;"></div> </div>	

2010 Census Adjustment Questionnaire: Student - online version

Step one: Information and definitions

	Official State Business	<p style="text-align: center;">State of Kansas</p> <h1 style="text-align: center;">2010 Census Adjustment</h1> <p style="text-align: center;">Student Questionnaire</p>	<p>Questions? Contact the Kansas Secretary of State 1-800-262-8683 kscensus@kssos.org</p>
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Step two: General student information

	Official State Business	<p style="text-align: center;">State of Kansas</p> <h1 style="text-align: center;">2010 Census Adjustment</h1> <p style="text-align: center;">Student Questionnaire</p>	<p>Questions? Contact the Kansas Secretary of State 1-800-262-8683 kscensus@kssos.org</p>
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NOTE: Your answers should reflect your residence as of census day, **April 1, 2010**

► indicates required fields

1. ► First Name:
- Middle Initial:
- Last Name:
- Student ID:


2. ► Name of College/University:
- City of College/University:

3. ► Are you enrolled in **nine** or more credit hours **OR** currently seeking an academic degree? (If No - **CLICK SUBMIT**)
- ☐ Yes ☐ No

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Step three: Current and permanent address information

	Official State Business	<p align="center">State of Kansas</p> <h2 align="center">2010 Census Adjustment</h2> <h3 align="center">Student Questionnaire</h3>	<p>Questions? Contact the Kansas Secretary of State 1-800-262-8683 kscensus@ksos.org</p>
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5. Current College Address (No P.O. Box)


► Addr. No: <input type="text"/> [?]	Sub No: <input type="text"/> [?]	Prefix Direction: <input type="text"/> [?]
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E-mail: <input type="text"/>		

6. Permanent Residence Address (No P.O. Box)Permanent Residence Address **NOT** in Kansas (international, out of state address) ☐ (if checked Permanent Address not required)

► Addr. No: <input type="text"/> [?]	Sub No: <input type="text"/> [?]	Prefix Direction: <input type="text"/> [?]
► Street Name: <input type="text"/> [?]	Street Type: <input type="text"/> [?]	
Suffix Direction: <input type="text"/> [?]	Unit Type: <input type="text"/> [?]	Unit No: <input type="text"/> [?]
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E-mail: <input type="text"/>		

Note: Students with permanent residences outside the state of Kansas could check a box indicating an out-of-state residence to bypass manual entry of a non-Kansas address.

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